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SUBJECT: CIVIL AVIATION: AIR MALTA INAUGURATES SERVICE TO TUNIS

1. AIR MALTA WILL INAUGURATE ON JULY 15 A TWICE
WEEKLY SERVICE BETWEEN MALTA AND TUNIS. DEPARTURE TIMES
FROM LUQA AIRPORT IN MALTA ARE 1300 ON THURSDAYS AND
SUNDAYS, ARRIVING IN TUNIS AT 1305 DEPARTURES FROM
TUNIS ON THE SAME DAYS ARE SCHEDULED AT 1705, ARRIVING IN MALTA
AT 1910.

2. THE AIRCRAFT TO BE USED IS A FOKKER 227B FAIRCHILD
FRIENDSHIP WITH A PASSENGER CONFIGURATION OF FIFTY ECONOMY
SEATS. IT IS LEASED BY AIR MALTA FROM STELLAR AIRFREIGHTER A/S,
STASJONSVN 51, OSLO 2, NORWAY.

3. THE AIR MALTA FLEET IS NOW COMPRISED OF FOUR AIRCRAFT, TWO
BOEING 720B'S (LEASED FROM PAKISTANI INTERNATIONAL AIRLINES),
ONE BOEING 727-100C (LEASED FROM WORLD AIRWAYS), AND
THE FOKKER 227B (LEASED FROM STELLAR). SMITH

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